



# MISSION

**IGNITING AND NURTURING**  
*creative, ethical, scientific minds*  
THAT ADVANCE THE HUMAN CONDITION

## BELIEFS

**ALL PEOPLE HAVE CHOICES AND ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR ACTIONS.**

**ALL PEOPLE HAVE EQUAL INTRINSIC WORTH.**

**LEARNING NEVER ENDS.**

THE ABILITY TO DISCERN AND CREATE CONNECTIONS IS THE ESSENCE OF UNDERSTANDING.

**NO ONE'S PATH IN LIFE IS PREDETERMINED.**

DIVERSE PERSPECTIVES ENRICH UNDERSTANDING AND INSPIRE DISCOVERY AND CREATIVITY.

**HONESTY, TRUST AND RESPECT ARE VITAL FOR ANY RELATIONSHIP TO THRIVE.**

**MEANING IS CONSTRUCTED BY THE LEARNER.**

**BELONGING TO A COMMUNITY REQUIRES COMMITMENT TO THE COMMON GOOD.**

**WE ARE ALL STEWARDS OF OUR PLANET.**

**WE CAN SIGNIFICANTLY IMPROVE LIFE ON OUR PLANET.**